GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants- Department of Tribal Welfare – Certain allegations against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, (Now retired) in Verification of works carried out under Special Development Fund(SDF) Programme in the erstwhile East Godavari District " - Vigilance report received - Initiation of Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A), 1991 & Rule 9(1) of AP revised pension rule,1980 –Article of Charges- Issued.

DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL WELFARE (SER)

G.O.RT.No. 53 Dated: 15-04-2025

Read the following:-

1. GA(V&E) Dept. Vigilance report no.33(C.No.5253/V&E/ Engg/ 2021/ RJMV) dated 13.09.2023.
2. G.O.Rt.No.52 Department of Trial Welfare, dated.15.04.2025

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O R D E R :

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CCA) Rule, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which is the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges.

3. Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 is directed to submit within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defense.

4. Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 is informed that an inquiry will be held in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. he should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charges.

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5. Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense on or before the date specified in para 4 above further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 is invited to Rule 24 of the APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further her interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019 is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and that action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this proceedings, may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M M NAYAK
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
that Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, (Now retired) (through the ENC, TW, Vijayawada)

Copy to:
The Engineer-in-Chief, Tribal Welfare, Vijayawada (With a request to serve the order on the individual and sent the served copy to Government)

//FORWARDED : : BY ORDER//

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ANNEXURE - I

Statement of article of charges framed against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019:

Charge No: Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao(retired), the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, has committed irregularities in execution of work "Providing CC road from Sri Gummadi Veeraju's (H) to Sri Suvarnapadi Venkateswararao's (H) in Bandaladoddiveedhi in Rampachodavaram(V) & (M).Est.Cost.Rs.5.00lakhs" sanctioned under SDF Grant.

The actual value of work done as per the approved working estimate was Rs.2,46,236/-. But he paid Rs.3,13,954/- to the contractor by adopting rates other than mentioned in the supplemental agreement No.250/2017-18/DB dt.22.01.2018.

Thus, an excess amount of Rs.67,718/- was paid to the contractor by adopting higher rates than mentioned in the Supplemental.

Hence, Disciplinary action as per rule 9(1) of A.P Revised Pension Rules, 1890.

M M NAYAK
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE - II

Statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of the article of charges framed against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019:

Basis of the charge: As per the Vigilance Report.33 (C.No.5253/V&E/Engg/ 2021/RJMV), Dt.13.09.2023 of General Administration (Vigilance and Enforcement) Department, certain irregularities were committed in"execution of Providing CC road from Sri Gummadi Veeraju's (H) to Sri Suvarnapadi Venkateswararao's (H) in Bandaladoddiveedhi in Rampachodavaram(V) & (M).Est.Cost.Rs.5.00lakhs" sanctioned under the Special Development Fund Grant .

Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao(retired), the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, has committed irregularities in execution of work "Providing CC road from Sri Gummadi Veeraju's (H) to Sri Suvarnapadi Venkateswararao's (H) in Bandaladoddiveedhi in Rampachodavaram(V) & (M).Est.Cost.Rs.5.00lakhs". Technically sanctioned vide D.R.No.154/2017-18 dated 02.08.2017 and the agreement details are agreement no.67/2017-2018/DB dated 06.11.2017 of EE, TW, RC Varam for Rs.4,67,596/-, entrusted to Sri Kathula Chella Reddy S/o Sri Balu Reddy, Rampachodavaram.

The actual value of work done as per the approved working estimate was Rs.2,46,236/-. But he submitted the 1st and part bill for Rs.3,13,954/-by adopting rates other than mentioned in the supplemental agreement No.250/2017-18/DB dt.22.01.2018.

It reveals that, an excess amount of Rs.67,718/- was paid to the contractor by adopting rates other than mentioned in the supplemental agreement No. 250/2017-18/DB, dated: 22-01-2018.

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE - III

List of documents by which the Article of charges framed against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019:

1) GA(V&E) Dept Vigilance report no.33 (C.No.5253 /V&E/ Engg/2021 /RJMV), dated 13.09.2023.
2) GovtMemo.No.2267764/TW.Ser.A2/2023 dated 03.06.2024 of Tribal Welfare(SER) Dept.

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE - IV

List of witnesses by whom the Article of Charges framed against Sri P.K.Nageswara Rao, the then Executive Engineer, Tribal Welfare Division, Rampachodavaram, retired from service on 31.05.2019:

List of Witnesses:

The concerned Vigilance & Enforcement Department officials have enquired into the allegations in Verification of works carried out under Special Development Fund(SDF) Programme in the erstwhile East Godavari District- executed by Tribal Welfare Engineering Department.

M M NAYAK
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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